

SENATOR CARPENTER: Now he has LB785....

PRESIDENT: Oh, LB813 was advanced a couple of days ago by error, of order only. Next bill LB741.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Yes.

CLERK: Read LB741.

PRESIDENT: Senator Luedtke.

CLERK: No amendments.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: LB741 is it? Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that LB741 be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: Senator Carstens.

SENATOR CARSTENS: I'd like to have this bill passed over for the time being.

PRESIDENT: LB741 is passed over. Next bill LB750.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Pass LB750 over. Let's take up LB832.

PRESIDENT: Next bill LB832.

CLERK: Read LB832. There are no committee amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Luedtke. Senator Carstens.

SENATOR CARSTENS: Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that LB832 be advanced to E & R Initial. This is a bill that implements a constitutional amendment that was adopted a number of years ago which provides that retired judges who have reached the retirement age and who have retired. And I'm talking about District and Supreme Court judges, may be called to serve temporarily as in a judicial capacity and this bill provides that the assignment must be made by the Supreme Court as a whole, not by the Chief Justice, but by the Supreme Court, by the entire court. And this also provides for the pay of such judges on a per diem basis in the event that they serve. The reason for this bill is that we have a number of judges that are retired and we have some-times situations come up where a judge in a district is incapacitated and the docket becomes...is unattended to because the judge is not able to serve and under this bill it would be possible for the Supreme Court to recall a retired judge temporarily and assign him to this district to sit on and take care of the docket. Also, when a district has a congested docket such as might come about by a specific type of cases coming in large numbers such as condemnation cases which come out of highway condemnation. One district might have a lot of cases. The docket becomes congested and the Supreme Court may then assign judges, retired judges to serve. The bill was heard in the Judiciary Committee and as I recall, I do not believe there was any opposition to it.

PRESIDENT: Any objections?

SENATOR CARSTENS: I move unanimous consent the bill be advanced.

PRESIDENT: Any objections to the unanimous consent motion to advance LB832? I see none. LB832 is advanced. Next bill LB966. Senator Luedtke. Read the title.

CLERK: Read LB966. There are no committee amendments or other amendments.